GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3251
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Domestic Defence-Industrial Base
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the country has poor domestic defence industrial base and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the maintenance of large forces and pay and pensions consume bulk of military expenditure than the procurement of modern weapons and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the army has critical gaps in artillery guns, infantry weapons, light helicopters, night fighting devices etc.; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the corrective measures taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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(a) to (d): A Statement is attached.

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